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Election Candidates Announced

Six candidates have so far indicated they will contest the Altona Shire Council elections for the three seats which will become vacant in August. All three retiring councillors will seek re-election.

The Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, and Cr. J. J. Ginifer are again endorsed as Labor candidates. Mrs. Mary Evans will be the third Labor representative to nominate.

Cr. W. L. J. Crofts will again stand as a ratepayers candidate. Two other residents have announced this week their intention of nominating for the elections. They are Mr. D. K. Grant and Mr. P. J. Lynch. Details of all six candidates are—



Cr. W. L. J. CROFTS,
70 Civic Parade, Altona.



Cr. J. J. GINIFER, 10
Estelle Court, Altona North.

Cr. Crofts was elected to council last February. As the ratepayers candidate he successfully contested the extraordinary election called to fill the vacancy after the death of the late Cr. V. L. Hearn. He was elected for the remainder of Cr. Hearn's term of office which was until August this year.

Cr. Crofts, a metallurgist, is a married man with three children.

First elected to council in August, 1960, and re-elected unopposed in August, 1963. He was Shire President during 1964-65.

Cr. Ginifer has just completed a three year term as Altona's Commissioner on the Board of Works and appointed for a further three year period.

Cr. Ginifer, a school teacher attending the University, is a married man with three daughters.



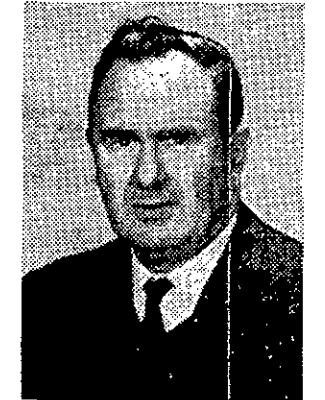
Mrs. MARY EVANS, 175
Civic Parade, Altona.

Mrs. Evans is the third of the ALP endorsed candidates for the council elections in August.

She first stood for council last February, but was defeated by Cr. W. L. J. Crofts.

Mrs. Evans, a member of the local branch of the ALP, is married with two daughters.

She was born at the old Altona Community Hospital in Pier Street and is interested in local government.



Mr. DOUGLAS KEITH
GRANT, aged 43 years, 122
Blyth Street, Altona.

Mr. Grant, a resident of Altona for 43 years, is married with two children.

He is an industrial chemist with more than 20 years experience, is an Associate of the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology and the Royal Australian Chemical Institute.

Mr. Grant is a member of the Altona Working Men's Club and a past member of the Altona Hockey and Cricket Clubs.

He resided at the Truganina Explosives Reserve for 26 years.



Mr. PATRICK JOSEPH
LYNCH, aged 39 years, 333
Blackshaws Road, Altona
North.

Mr. Lynch, a married man with two children, has resided in Altona North for 14 years.

He is a master painter and member of the Master Painters and Decorators Society of Victoria.

Mr. Lynch, who migrated to Australia from the United Kingdom in 1951, is keenly interested in local community activities and takes an active interest in Altona North development.

A photo of Cr. McIntosh was unavailable for this week's paper.

Cr. S. G. MCINTOSH, 22
Cambridge Street, Sea-
holme.

Cr. McIntosh was first elected to council in August, 1960, and re-elected unopposed in August, 1963.

Following the death in January of the then Shire President, the late Cr. V. L. Hearn, Cr. McIntosh was elected Shire President for the remainder of the council year.

Cr. McIntosh, an auctioneer, is a married man with three children.

APOLOGY

We apologise to Mrs. Mary Evans for attributing to her a statement heard on the Labor Hour broadcast on Sunday, July 3.

It is regretted if this has caused her any embarrassment.

The statement was actually voiced by Mr. G. R. Dudley, endorsed Labor candidate for the Oakleigh seat in the next State elections.

Mr. Dudley said—“Labor councils and councillors have given of time and money to serve the people who elect them keeping up the standard of community service that is expected of them.”

“As an indication of this service Altona Shire Council, almost completely ALP controlled, has been investigating the idea of a Health Scheme for its citizens.”

Altona Lad in Inter- state Hockey Team

Another Altona lad has been selected for an interstate tour with a Victorian hockey team.

Charlie Muscat will be a member of the Victorian Junior Touring side which will play matches in Southern and Central NSW during the September school holidays.

At present he plays with Altona's Under 16 team and two years ago he was a member of the Altona Under 12's team which played in Goulburn, NSW.

Charlie has borne out the confidence of the Altona selectors who chose him for this previous tour.

Three other Altona players have already been announced as members of the Victorian Junior team which contests the championships in Perth late next month.

Work begins on Sports Grounds at Altona High

Construction of a football oval and hockey fields commenced at Altona High School last Friday. The whole of the area fronting Medford Street and extending some way behind the school will be developed.

The sports oval is being constructed in the north-west corner and hockey fields in the south-west area.

The work is being carried out by Basic Construction Company at a cost of \$14,361. Of this amount the school will pay \$6187 and the Education Department \$8173.

The Department's share of the cost is larger than usual.

Because of the substantial cost to make suitable playing fields at the school, the Minister of Education offered the school committee a special grant early last year.

Usually the subsidy for this work is on a \$1 for \$1 basis up to \$3000. However, he offered a grant of a \$3 for \$2 basis for cost of the oval, \$8428.

Noordenne Case Struck Out

The case brought by Altona Council against Noordenne Building Pty. Ltd. alleging a building infringement was struck out on a technicality at Williamstown Court of Petty Sessions last week.

However, the Magistrate said there was nothing to preclude the council issuing another summons—and this is what the council has decided to do.

The original summons issued against the Noordenne company alleged breaches of the Uniform Building Regulations in relation to foundations for houses to be erected in Watson and Fisher Courts.

Hearing of the case had been adjourned to a special hearing of the court on Thursday, July 7.

Mr. Ray Dunn appeared for Noordenne Building Pty. Ltd., and Mr. Hooper for the Shire.

As soon as the case opened Mr. Dunn submitted that the wording of the summons did not comply with an amendment to the Justices Act. On the summons the offence was alleged to have occurred at Fisher and Watson Courts, Shire of Altona.

Mr. Dunn contended that the amendment to the Act made it mandatory for the name of the place and the bailiwick of where the offence occurred to appear on the summons. The bailiwick (the district of the bailiff) was not entered after the Shire of Altona (Altona is in the Central Bailiwick).

The magistrate agreed that this section of the Act is mandatory and said it would be dangerous for him to presume that the Shire of Altona is in the Central Bailiwick.

He ruled that the case be struck out and commented that there was nothing to preclude the council from issuing another summons.

At the Altona Shire Council meeting on Tuesday night, Cr. A. J. Fisher moved that it is the council's intention to lay fresh information and proceed with the matter.

Cr. J. J. Ginifer asked him if he was saying that the technicality would be put in order and the council proceed with the action.

When Cr. Fisher replied “Yes,” Cr. Ginifer said he would second the motion, which when put to the vote was carried.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF ST. LEO'S

Bishop Moran officially opened St. Leo's Parish Centre in Mason Street, Altona North, before a crowd of 600 people last Sunday afternoon.

First stage of the centre—the Church Hall and Presbytery—have been completed.

During his address Bishop Moran spoke of “the warm welcome he had received and what a great pleasure it was for him to come and bless these buildings.”

He said, “The pioneering work which has been done here is remarkable and now that a hall is established, it becomes the venue for the spiritual life of the people.”

Amongst the official party at the opening were His Lordship, Bishop Moran, Auxiliary Bishop of Melbourne; Father Marshall, of St. Paul's College; Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, and Mrs. McIntosh; Cr. and Mrs. J. J. Ginifer, Cr. and Mrs. K. Jurga, Cr. A. J. Fisher, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts, Father Curran of Newport, Father J. Nooney of Altona, Mr. Costello, president of St. Leo's Building Committee and Mr. Moylan, Secretary of the Committee. Also rep-

resented was the Commonwealth Bank which financed the project and there was a large attendance of clergy, brothers and teaching nuns. Father Kierce, St. Leo's Parish Priest, expressed his deep and sincere thanks to the many people who had helped him since he was appointed in January, 1965.

Cr. McIntosh drew a parallel between the rapid development of the Shire since it came into being nine years ago and the establishment of St. Leo's buildings in such a short space of time.

The main feature of the hall as one enters from the front, is the curved brick wall which forms the Sanctuary.

The floor of the hall is covered with redgum parquet blocks, finished with a clear plastic.

This redgum flooring is repeated in three rooms of the presbytery where accommodation is provided for three priests and a housekeeper in her own flat. Provision has been made in the design for future extensions if need be.

The outside treatment has evoked much discussion, here the external brick is what is termed “clinkers.” There is a purpose behind this choice as in a project of the magnitude of St. Leo's, any future buildings or additions are easily matched and therefore do not have an added to appearance.

A brief history of the remarkable growth of this parish is worthy of interest.

The land which these fine buildings now grace, was procured some years ago by Fr. Curran of Newport, when land

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EDITORIAL

COUNCIL ELECTION

There will be a poll on August 27 to elect three councillors for Altona.

Nominations are not yet due, but it appears that at least six candidates will offer themselves for election.

In due course the various candidates will put forward their claims. Three of them will certainly be elected.

But this election will be judged not only on the end result, but in the manner in which citizens consider and record their votes.

Three things are needed—

1. A greater proportion of ratepayers voting. At the last election only 73% voted (voting is compulsory);
2. A reduction or at least a relative improvement in the number of informal votes;
3. An informed and objective vote, free from bias or emotion.

With these objectives we feel all candidates should agree. We hope they will stress them in their voting rights.

Whatever the result of this election Altona will be best served a fuller and more expressive vote.

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TIDE TABLE FOR WILLIAMSTOWN

	High Water		Low Water	
JULY	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
14 Thursday	11.14	10.20	4.38	4.38
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
15 Friday	12.28	11.04	5.28	5.40
16 Saturday	1.40	11.54	6.25	6.53
	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
17 Sunday		2.47	7.25	8.03
18 Monday	12.52	3.43	8.20	9.06
19 Tuesday	1.55	4.30	9.12	10.02
20 Wednesday	3.01	5.12	10.04	10.54

ALTONA WORKING MEN'S CLUB NEWS

SUCCESSFUL MIXED SPORTS NIGHT

The 64 competitors in 21 teams who took part in the mixed sports night at the club last Saturday thoroughly enjoyed an evening of keen competition in four different indoor sporting events.

The novelty section in which competitors had to recognise the contents in 12 jars of different liquids and powders produced a few interesting answers from some of the teams.

One team correctly identified 11, and another 10, but most of the teams correctly guessed only three, four or five out of the total of 12.

Actual contents of the jars were cider vinegar, malathion, petrol, old spice, white king bleach, spa water, cow manure, blue omo, cornflour, Andrews liver salts, mixed spice and bread crumbs.

The winning team, No. 4 Red, comprising captain Jack Saunders, Charlie Trickey and Dulcie Saunders, were presented with a roasting chicken by club president Alan Lyon. The booby prize went to Ken Plummeridge and his team from Werribee Bowling Club.

As the prize winners received a chicken each, it was considered the right thing to give the booby prize winners an egg each. Being VEG eggs purchased through the correct channels it could well be that they originally came from that well-known "Werribee Poultry Farm." Better luck next time Ken, you may get the bacon with the egg.

The club sincerely thanks the three teams from Altona Elderly Citizens Club and the two teams from the Werribee Bowling Club for taking part in the sports night. It is hoped to have them with the club again on Saturday, August 13, along with teams from other clubs.

GARDENING MEETING

Will all members of the Gardening Section please note their meeting is to be held this Friday, July 15, at 8 p.m. Due to illness and other commitments by many of the section members, the normal meeting on the second Friday of each month was postponed last week.

CLUB DANCE SATURDAY

Only two days now to obtain the last few tickets for the second club dance this Saturday night at 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$1 with supper provided and can be purchased from the club office or at the "Altona Star" office.

ASSOCIATES ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A reminder to all Associate Section members—Monday, July 25, is the date of your annual general meeting—keep this date free and come along to your most important meeting of the year.

INDOOR BOWLS

Last Monday the first elimination rounds of the ladies and gents Victorian Singles Championships were played at the Altona Working Men's Club. Other eliminations were played at Footscray House of Windsor and Buckley Park Bowling Club.

Ten ladies and 16 gents took part in the eliminations at Altona. Two ladies, Doris Sheriffs of AWMC and M. Salmon of ICI, and two gents, Alan Lyon (AWMC), and Ken Plummeridge (Werribee BC), will enter the finals of this championship.

Dawn Burgess (AWMC), playing in the same competition at Footscray House of Windsor, had two decisive wins in her games and has also qualified for the finals.

At the time of publication of this report results were unavailable of the games in which two other club members were taking part—Jim Walker at Footscray House of Windsor, and Harry Walker at the Buckley Park Bowling Club.

BILLIARDS

A lightning billiard premier ship has been organised by the billiards committee to be held on Friday July 22 and Friday, July 29. All inter-

ted players to be at the club by 7.45 p.m.

The entrance fee is 50 cents with a trophy for the winner.

VIBBA CHAMPION OF

The draw for the first elimination round of the club bowlers in the ladies and gents Champion of Champions contests which will commence next Monday, July 18, at 7.45 p.m. in the clubrooms are as follows—

LADIES

D. Saunders v. J. Yates, E. Locke v. A. Yates, A. Roberts v. D. Burgess, I. Gibson v. T. Lyon, J. Turner v. E. Hook, I. Parrott v. T. Reisman, D. Sheriffs v. J. Armstrong.

GENTS

J. Gore v. J. Saunders, H. Gibson v. W. Spence, A. Gore v. C. Trickey, B. Hook v. S. Burgess, W. Bouwens v. F. Saunders, C. Baldwin v. A. Lyon.

FINALS

There will be a cover charge of 20 cents per night. Finals of the championships will be played at the Altona Working Men's Club on Saturday, July 30. More detailed information will be conveyed in future issues of the "Star."

OBITUARY

Mrs. Vida L. J. H. Smart, of Queen Street, Altona, who died suddenly in Footscray District Hospital on Wednesday, July 6, just eight days before her 75th birthday, had a lifetime association with the racing world.

Her father was the late H. W. Morton, an owner-trainer. The Ottawa Stakes was named after one of the horses he trained.

One brother, Clifford, was a jockey, who was killed in a car accident, another, Leonard Morton, is a trainer.

Mrs. Smart and her husband, Mr. W. J. Smart, came from Queensland to Ascot Vale and then 35 years ago moved into the house they had purchased in Altona.

Their first action here was to build stables on the land adjacent to their home and begin training horses, an occupation the couple continued until three years ago.

Mrs. Smart handled all the business side of the partnership.

They trained a number of notable horses, including Mable, which won the Australian Cup and Phenomenon, a sprinter which won many races.

Another horse in their care was Aldershot, owned by VRC committeeman Mr. G. R. Raymond, of St. Albans Stud, Geelong.

The racing tradition is being carried on by their son Bill, who was a successful jockey before turning to training in Adelaide.

In her latter years Mrs. Smart had become interested in the Altona Elderly Citizens Club and in all her years in Altona she had never wanted to leave the district.

On Friday many friends and members of the racing world attended the funeral service at Essendon and continued on to Fawkner Cemetery. Both services were conducted by family friend the Rev. D. Dargaville, of Werribee.

Mrs. Smart is survived by her husband, two daughters—Sylvene (Mrs. Herb Moran, Altona) and Vola (Mrs. Jack Devereaux, Laverton)—son Bill, 16 grand-children and two great grand-children.

Church Notices



BAPTIST

Sargood Street, Altona.

Cordially welcomes you to all meetings.

Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Communion: First Sunday morning and Third Sunday evening.

11.30 a.m.: Junior Christian Endeavour.

2.30 p.m.: Intermediate Christian Endeavour.

7 p.m.: Evening Service.

Minister—Pastor E. J. Reynolds, 62 Blyth Street, Altona. Telephone: 65-8829.

CATHOLIC

St. Mary's

Railway Street, Altona.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9 and 10.30 a.m.

Holy Days: 7, 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.

First Fridays: 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Week Days: 7 a.m.

Saturdays: 8 a.m.

Confessions.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

First Friday (Maltese): 4 and 5.30 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Nooney, P.P.

Rev. Father M. Kelleher.

Father V. Rubeo.

St. Mary's Presbytery, Railway Street, Altona. Telephone 65-8964.

St. Joseph's Convent, Sargood Street, Altona. Telephone 65-8686.

Queen of Peace

Laverton.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Holy Days: 8 a.m. and 6.15 p.m.

First Fridays: 6.15 p.m.

Week Days: Thursdays, 11 a.m. Saturdays, 8 a.m.

Confessions.

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Leo's

Altona North.

Services are being held in St. Paul's School building in Chambers Road, Altona North.

Masses.

Sundays: 7.30, 9, 10 and 11 a.m.

Confessions.

Each Saturday at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Kierce, P.P.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Eanswythe's

Queen Street, Altona.

Sunday Services.

8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion (first, third and fifth Sundays).

Matins (second and fourth Sundays).

Sunday School.

Sundays at 9.30 a.m.

7 p.m.: Evensong.

St. Clement's

Goble Street, Laverton.

Sunday Worship: 11 a.m., Parish Eucharist.

First Sunday in the month: Family Service.

VICAR—Rev. Dargaville, St. Thomas' Church, Werribee.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Luke's

Cnr. Blackshaws and Millers Roads, Altona North.

Sunday.

9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion

9.30 a.m.: Sunday School.

Wednesday.

10 a.m.: Holy Communion.

VICAR—Rev. D. Townsend, 300 Blackshaws Road, Altona North. Telephone 391-3096.

LUTHERAN

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Second Sunday of Month.

2.30 p.m.: In the Methodist Church, Seves Street, Altona.

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Seves Street, Altona.

Sunday.

Sunday School: 9.45 a.m.

11 a.m. and 7 p.m.: Divine Worship.

Cnr. Marion Street and Sixth Avenue, Altona North.

Sunday.

11 a.m.: Divine Worship.

MINISTER—Rev. John C. Adamthwaite, 158A Blackshaws Road, Spotswood, Telephone 391-2406.

Goble Street, Laverton.

(Held in Church of England Hall, Goble Street, Laverton.)

3 p.m.: Divine Worship.

MINISTER—Rev. A. D. McGregor, 61 Synott Street, Werribee. Telephone Werribee 116.

PRESBYTERIAN

241 Civic Parade, Altona.

Sunday Services.

9.30 a.m.: Worship.

10 a.m.: Sunday School (members of the Sunday School join in Worship from 9.30 till 10 a.m.).

7 p.m.: Worship and Christian Education.

MINISTER—Rev. John Hayes, The Manse, 9 Lindwood Avenue, Altona. Telephone 398-1591.

9 Paringa Road, Altona North.

Sunday.

11 a.m.: Worship Service.

League of Young Workers share in the Worship from 11 to 11.30 a.m.

MINISTER—Mr. W. A'Drain, The Manse, 11 Paringa Road, Altona North. Telephone 314-5179.

SALVATION ARMY

Queen Street, Altona.

Civic Parade, Altona.

Sunday.

8.30 a.m.: Prayer Meeting.

9.30 a.m.: Sunday School—Combined Sunday School at Queen Street Hall (Primary and Junior).

11 a.m.: Holiness Meeting, Queen Street Hall.

7 p.m.: Salvation Meeting, Queen Street Hall.

Tuesday.

2 p.m.: Bible Study Class.

Wednesday.

3.30 p.m.: Children's Club (Civic Parade Hall).

Thursday.

2 p.m.: Women's Home League.

Captain Ada E. Warburst.



The Social Whirl

If you have any news of a birthday, engagement, wedding, or social event, it can be included in these pages. Phone 65-8277—there is no charge.

LAVERTON GIRLS WINS V.E.B. AWARD



Four-year-old Julie Munro, of Balmoral Street, Laverton, won first prize in an egg-shell garden competition ran by the Victorian Egg Board.

Children were invited to grow seeds in egg-shells filled with soil or loam and devise a garden utilising a one-dozen egg carton.

For her entry Julie used an empty cardboard box, a toilet roll centre and two or three play bricks which when decorated with the plants in egg-shells resembled a desirable suburban residence.

In the photograph Julie stands behind her winning entry and is holding her prize, a camera which she had just accepted from the chairman of the Board, Mr. R. W. Freeman.

Next Elderly Citizens Club Dance

On Saturday, July 16, the Altona Elderly Citizens Club will hold their monthly dance in their clubrooms at Sargood Street, Altona.

Donation is 30 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. Go along and enjoy yourselves.

The annual meeting will be held on July 20 at 1.30 p.m. All members are asked to attend.

Successful Games Evening

"The most enjoyable evening spent at the scout hall for years" was how several parents described last Saturday's beetle and games evening at the scout hall in Civic Parade, Altona.

While the children played an hilarious game of beetles the Mums and Dads played cards after which supper was served.

The Committee of the 1st Altona Scout Group appreciated the support from parents for this effort and thank the Altona RSL for lending them chairs and tables.

It is hoped to hold similar social evenings at regular intervals. They will be advertised and perhaps more parents will join in the activities.

Hockey Player For National Service

On Saturday evening the Altona Hockey Club farwelled Alan Baillie. Alan has been called up for national service and by this time he will be in his first days of training at Puckapunyal.

A Reserve captain-coach, Ted Malloy, made a presentation on behalf of the team and commented how difficult it would be to replace Alan on the forward line.

Club president, Ron Ford, said how much Alan would be missed by the club as a whole, how he had come up through the junior ranks into the A Reserve team. Also how he would be missed by the juniors whom he had helped coach and train.

Alan expressed his thanks to the club and all those who had helped and given advice throughout his hockey career to date and finished up by saying that he would be back with the club in no time at all. Three hearty cheers.

Altona Historical Society Meeting

The next meeting of the Altona Historical Society will be held on Wednesday, July 20, at 8 p.m. at the Society's rooms, 128 Queen Street.

Members are reminded that nominations for office-bearers for 1966-67 are open and it would be appreciated if they could be forwarded to the hon. secretary as soon as possible.

EIGHT WEEKS HOLIDAY CRUISE

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Roach, of Blyth Street, Altona, sail tomorrow, Friday, July 15, on an eight weeks holiday cruise to Hong Kong and Japan.

They will be travelling on the Dutch ship "Twiluwah" and plan to visit several Japanese cities.

Whilst they are away Mr. and Mrs. Horgan, formerly of Laverton, will be staying at their home with Mrs. Roach's sister, Miss A. Farrant.

Social Bowls

Winners of the indoor carpet social bowls played recently at Altona Bowling Club were—

THURSDAY: L. Walsh, I. Probert, G. Snowden and W. Neal (s);

SUNDAY: I. Mitchell, L. Cox, W. Neal and T. Mitchell (s).

Birthday greetings this week to Elaine Siphorp, Austin Malloy and Ian Douglas.

Richards-Turner Marriage

A couple married at Nunawading in June are the grandson and grand-daughter of two Altona couples—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Turner, of Queen Street, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Richards of Grieve Highway.

The groom was Ralph Douglas, only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Richards, of Springfield Road, Nunawading, and the bride Leanne Joy, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner, of Main Road, Mount Dandenong.

Rings were exchanged during the marriage ceremony at the Nunawading Methodist Church.

Bridesmaid was Miss Sharyn Richards, the groom's sister, and flowergirl was the bride's niece, four-year-old Jayne Robinson.

Mr. Trevor Rees was best man for the bridegroom.

A reception was held at Palm Court, Blackburn.

On their return from a honeymoon at Wye River, the newlyweds moved into a new home at Mount Dandenong built by the bridegroom, his father, and grandfather.

Altona Headmaster is Rotary President

Mr. G. H. L. Treyvaud, head master of Altona Primary School, was inducted as president of the Rotary Club of Williamstown last week.

The ceremony was performed at the weekly luncheon meeting by the outgoing president, Mr. Roy Butler.

Mr. Treyvaud lives in Morris Street, Williamstown.

HECTIC FEW WEEKS

The last few weeks have been a hectic time for Mr. and Mrs. Noel O'Dowd, of 42 Upton Street, Altona.

First of all their eldest son Peter, who is on EM in the RAN, left on the HMAS Stuart for a few months overseas.

On June 24 their eldest daughter Jan and husband Dennis presented them with their third grand-daughter, Natalie Ann, born at Altona Community Hospital.

On July 1 their second son Gerald graduated as an instrument fitter at the RAAF School of Technical Training at Wagga, NSW.

Also this week their second eldest daughter Helen announced her engagement to William Haynes, formerly of Scotland, but now residing at Newport.

Altona Drama Group Annual Meeting

Although the Altona Drama Group has not yet been active a full year it was decided to hold the annual general meeting at the appointed time according to the constitution drawn up in February this year.

The meeting was held at the Civic Hall and the following officers were elected—

PRESIDENT: Gwladys Winfield; VICE-PRES.: Jack McGuckian; SEC.: Dorothy Woodworth; TREAS.: Victory Byrdy; COMMITTEE: Sue Nette, Os Nette, Ronald Coleman and Rex Jemmeson.

A play selection committee was formed under the chairmanship of Sue Nette, members being Loretta Forsay, Margaret Barrow, Martin Menen, and Michael Ragas. The duty of this committee will be to read and select plays for the forthcoming program this year.

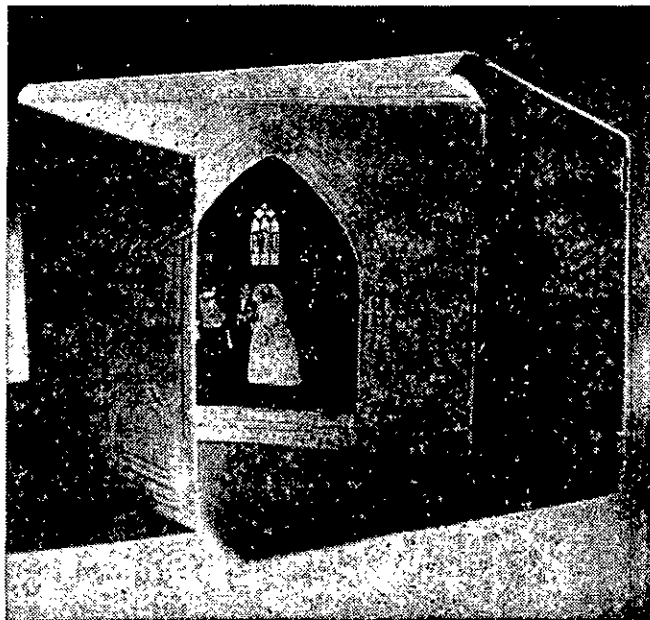
Members were informed of the progress of negotiations with the Altona Shire Council re stage-lighting and rehearsal rooms and although the council in the first instance had turned down the proposals with regard to stage-lighting, it was hoped that further consideration may be given to these proposals in the near future.

The Group's first venture would soon take place and the date had been firmly fixed for Monday night, August 15, when two one-act plays would be presented as the Group's contribution to the Education Week Program. Everyone was looking forward tremendously to this occasion and it was thought that this would give some indication of the support which could be expected from Altona residents.

The board of management of the Altona Youth Centre had kindly donated the use of a room at the club temporarily. The Group is most grateful to them for this, but all good things come to an end and now they need the room themselves for their proposed teenage clubroom so new premises must be sought.

The Group's financial position is not all one could hope for since many of its members are full time students and therefore their annual subscription is only 50 cents, which although an encouragement for young people to join, does not bring in the revenue. However, it is hoped to make productions pay for themselves eventually and perhaps initially organise a fund-raising activity to acquire some working capital.

Although the Group does lack adequate finance, there is no shortage of enthusiasm and this will help to overcome many of the difficulties faced by a new Drama Group.



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URGENTLY REQUIRED

ONE ASSEMBLY HALL

Altona's technical school needs an assembly hall. The essential and primary purpose of this hall will be school use, but it will no doubt also be available for approved cultural activities.

The school—Altona North Technical School—is seeking to provide a well-balanced training for 612 boys now at various stages of their technical school course.

There are 34 boys in Form V, 136 in Form IV and 496 in Forms I to III. On leaving this school most of these boys will be seeking employment in this area. Others will be proceeding to higher education as further preparation for employment—also probably in this area.

Since its establishment in 1959, the school has been very well supported by local industries and organisations, and by the parents of the boys. Aided by subsidies this support has provided a school canteen, bicycle shelters, shower room, external seating, projectors, television, rapid-reading equipment, etc., and extensive improvements to playing areas.

The school's major objective at present is the provision of an assembly hall—without which no post-primary school can be expected to make its full contribution to life and progress of the community which it seeks to serve. With considerable assistance from local industrial establishments and from parents (through Mothers' Club, canteen and Parents' Contributory Fund) the sum of \$6,565 has already been raised.

The approximate anticipated cost of the proposed assembly hall and gymnasium is \$96,000.

The government subsidy which has already been approved in principle for this project will be on the \$3 for \$1 basis and will provide \$72,000.

Shire to Pay For Brochure

Altona Shire Council has agreed to pay the cost of producing a brochure illustrating facilities for youths and explaining the various activities of local organisations.

The brochure will be distributed to students in leaving grades of Altona schools.

This publication is considered of prime importance by the Youth Advisory Council which was set up some months ago to investigate the needs of Altona's young people.

Mr. M. Kidd, Chairman of the Advisory Council, estimates the cost will be \$130 for 1000 copies.

The foreword for this type of brochure is usually written by a prominent person, but Mr. Kidd suggested to Altona council that a competition be conducted among local youth organisations and schools and the best foreword written by one of the young people be selected for the brochure.

This suggestion was adopted by Altona council and an appropriate prize will be donated for presentation to the successful entrant.

The Shire Council also has recorded in its minutes appreciation of the Youth Advisory Council's efforts in carrying out a very difficult task.

ALTONA LACROSSE

D GRADE

On Saturday, July 2, Altona 6, lost to Essendon 20.

GOALS (Altona): R. Little 3, R. Benedierks 1, R. Munns 1 and K. Little 1.

BEST (Altona): K. Little, R. Little and J. Houston.

On Saturday, July 9, Altona 2, lost to Chadstone 19.

GOALS (Altona): B. Cook 1 and R. Dickens 1.

BEST (Altona): R. Dalton, J. Houston and R. Little.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

B RESERVE

Altona Methodists 17, lost to Christ Church 38.

BEST (Altona): J. Dutton, J. Hogan, J. Tyrell and M. Sleeman.

GRADE C1

Altona Methodists 47, d. Kingsville Baptists 16.

BEST (Altona): G. Thompson, R. Webb, R. Douglas and E. Cahill.

GRADE C2

Altona Methodists 13, lost to Williamstown Congs. 16.

BEST (Altona): R. Smith, L. Hyde and R. Beales.

NEXT GAMES

B Reserve have a bye.

Altona C1 v. Altona C2 at Seaholme Primary School at 2.30 p.m.

Dis-satisfied With Shire Audit

Altona's Deputy Shire Secretary, Mr. H. Truman, is dis-satisfied with certain aspects of the recently completed audit of council books.

In fact, Mr. Truman has criticised the whole process of accounting and audit facilities in relation to the municipal field and recommended to the council that an approach be made to the Local Government Department at the highest level in order to resolve the position.

With the auditors report circulated to councillors in June was another printed report from Mr. Tueman. He presented pertinent comments on the auditors report and further elaborated on matters which have given rise to a general feeling of dis-satisfaction with the whole process.

Altona council has adopted Mr. Truman's report and acted on his recommendation.

Councillors decided the executive officers should prepare a submission on municipal accounting and auditing for presentation to the Minister for Local Government. They urged that the matter be completed as soon as possible.

Safe Working at UCA Aids Charities

Two local Altona organisations benefitted as a result of safe working at Union Carbide Australia recently.

During the past fortnight the Altona Elderly Citizens Club and the Altona Spastic Aid Committee have been recipients of \$50 cheques from D and C Shifts respectively, awarded to the shifts for reaching a full calendar year without an accident involving lost time.

Mr. H. Papinski, representing D Shift, stated that this was only possible because of the attitude of management in training and alerting the men in safety by means of regular discussions and films.

Mr. B. Prismall, manager of the Elderly Citizens Club, replied that it was a wonderful thing to have this co-operation between management and employees in the matter of safety, for in watchfulness and care for yourselves and your fellow workers you contribute to the community and by your donation bring a lot of happiness to the elderly and infirm. The money would go towards paying for the bus which was recently acquired through the help of the local council.

C Shift had the opportunity of interviewing the ladies, Mrs McGregor and Mrs. Oakes, representing the Altona Spastic Aid Committee, informally at afternoon tea, having just come off shift. They expressed great interest in the work of these ladies on behalf of the spastic children and adults in the district.

Mr. R. J. Read, production manager, said although there was no embargo on the choice of charities to which the men could donate their award, he was nevertheless particularly pleased that both shifts had selected Altona organisations, showing a good community spirit and desire to help their neighbours.

Each member of each shift was presented with a first-aid kit suitable for the car or use at home.

LADIES 10-PIN BOWLING RESULTS

Results of games played on Wednesday, June 29, by the Central Hotel Ladies 10-Pin Bowling League are as follows:

M. & D. Homes 21, d. H. Brobergs Chemist 1.

High Games (HG): H. Verity (M&D), 141; J. Updell (HBC), 125. High Series (HS), H. Verity, 271; J. Updell, 249.

Watts Stores 2, d. Delmans 1.

HG: J. Smith (WS), 161; L. Thomas (D), 159. HS: N. Beran (WS), 273; L. Thomas 308.

Central Hotel 3, d. 7X Lemonade 0.

HG: O. Williams (CH), 153; J. Matthews (7X), 131. HS: O. Williams, 277; J. Matthews, 261.

Roberts Nurseries 2, d. Loys Lemonade 1.

HG: J. Thompson (RN), 147; S. Shaw (LL), 131. HS: J. Thompson (RN), 287; S. Shaw (LL), 261.

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Roberts Nurseries 3, d. Central Hotel 0.

HG: J. Whitten (RN), 139; O. Williams (CH), 149. HS: J. Whitten (RN), 263; O. Williams, 256.

7X Lemonade 3, d. Loys Lemonade 0.

HG: G. Copland (7X), 142; M. Goucher (LL), 134. HS: G. Copland, 277; M. Goucher, 261.

Watts stores 2, d. H. Brobergs Chemist 1.

HG: N. Beran (WS), 142; L. Quigley (HBC), 153. HS: N. Beran, 275; J. Updell (HBC), 285.

M. & D. Homes 3, d. Delmans 0.

HG: B. Cox (M&D), 160; B. Morgan (D), 159. HS: H. Verity (M&D), 304; B. Morgan (D), 298.

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Central Hotel 24 30 28,630

Loys Lemon. 17 37 27,152

Lalor Federal Electorate Committee

The number of electors in the Lalor Federal Electorate has increased by over 12,000 since the last elections.

Speaking to delegates of Aust. Labor Party branches within the area at the Trades Hall last week, Mr. Reg Pollard, MHR for Lalor, said there were now about 109,000 persons on the roll qualified to vote in the elections to be held later this year.

There had been forecasts that the election would be held towards the end of November, or early December but he doubted if the Government had yet decided the date. The earliest possible date, he said, would be near the end of October.

In view of a possible Government decision to hold the election early, he stressed that persons qualified to vote whose names were not yet on the roll should obtain cards from any Post Office and forward them, when completed to the Divisional Returning Officer.

Mr. Pollard was congratulated on being again endorsed as the Labor candidate for the forthcoming elections.

During the meeting, officers of the campaign committee were elected as follows—

President: Cr. H. Payne; Vice-Presidents: Cr. H. Lee, G. Pollard; Secretary-Treas.: Cr. A. W. Knight, MLC; Assistant Secretary-Public Relations Officer: H. Lowe; Campaign Director: G. Stirling; Auditors: Cr. K. Johnson, V. Floate.

Also present at the meeting were Mr. D. Lovegrove, MLA, Deputy Leader of the Opposition in the State Parliament; Mr. J. Wilton, MLA for Broadmeadows, and Mr. R. J. Castley, endorsed Labor candidate for the new seat of Gisborne in the next State elections.

Altona Pedal Club News

All members of the Altona Pedal Club are expected to be at practice next Sunday at 2 p.m. as it will be the last practice before the next rally to be held at Port Melbourne by the Council of Pedal Clubs on July 24.

Next Friday night is the club meeting to be held at 9 Bracken Grove, at 7.45 p.m. All interested parents are welcome to attend.

As a number of new members have joined the club over the last few weeks they are asked to be patient if there are not enough bikes to go round and they may have to share a bike with someone else.

It costs the club \$40 to equip each new member.

SILVER PEDAL

July 2: 96, 136 and 37.

July 9: 168, 46 and 10.

First Tenders For Lower Yarra

The directors of the Lower Yarra Crossing Authority announced today that the first tenders for the construction of the bridge have been let to George Wimpey & Co. Pty. Ltd., for borings in order to investigate the sub-soil conditions in the location of the main bridge piers.

The tender is for the sum of \$42,193. This work should be completed in approximately 16 weeks.

Mr. Miles Birkett, senior partner of Maunsell and Partners, has returned from overseas after conferring with the joint consultants, Freeman Fox and Partners, of London. He has reported to the directors of the Authority that good progress is being made with the design of the main bridge structure.

The aerial survey, together with the land control, has now been completed and detailed information should be available within the next few weeks.

Mr. R. F. Vian, who has held the position of executive officer, has now been appointed deputy chairman of the Authority.

Mr. C. A. Wilson will commence duties of general manager on August 1, 1966.

Hard Work For Nothing

Altona Soccer Club played at Brighton on Saturday and for 90 minutes they ran, jumped, kicked and headed the ball, working like beavers, and at the end of the game who had won? You've guessed it! Brighton.

The Maroons are winning friends every where they go with their "never say die" spirit, but, unfortunately for Altona, they are not winning League points and they are more valuable than friends.

Altona had new signing Joe Zamit in goals as the game got under way in heavy conditions. He was called upon to stop an early raid by Brighton. From Zamit's kick-out Coles, Herman and Jim Black combined well. They took the ball right up into the goal mouth. Billy Coles passed to "Professor" Wilkie and he cracked the ball into the back of the net, but the referee took the goal from Altona for offside—a bad blow for the Maroons for it looked a good goal.

Play swung from end to end with neither side being able to master the slippery ground. Craig Copley was playing well. Andy Rice received a bad hit on the head but recovered quickly to play his usual steady game. He kept pushing the ball up the left and Billy Coles was enjoying better service than he got last week and two or three times he came close to scoring.

Mario Crecco was the only one who could get any distance with the lead-like ball. He banged in a long lob, but the Brighton goalkeeper was on his toes, pushing over the bar only at the last second what looked a certain score.

After half time Altona tried to play good football, but Brighton was equal to the task and broke up the Altona attacks. In particular their centre half was a tower of

strength and there seemed to be no way around him.

Bobby Milloy pushed a ball along the ground. Wilkie rushed through two opponents and from 18 yards out let go a good shot, but again the Brighton 'keeper covered himself with mud and glory as he pushed the ball round the post for a corner kick. Ian Roberts took the kick but the Brighton boys scrambled the ball away. They raced downfield. A high lob to goal saw Zamit get under the ball. He appeared to have it well in his grasp, but the slippery ball popped out of his hands and as he tried to recover it he only succeeded in knocking it over the line to give Brighton a lucky goal and the two points.

A last desperate attempt by Altona failed to score the equaliser.

RESERVES

In the Reserve match Altona won 4-1. Zablonksi was the star, scoring two great goals. Alan Wynne revelled in the heavy going and once again the whole team played great football.

NEXT GAME

This Saturday brings Frankston to Altona. They were great rivals earlier this year and a good game is expected. Reserves kick-off at 1 p.m. and the Seniors at 2.45 p.m.

JUNIOR MATCH

A soccer treat is in store for the people of Altona on Sunday at Kim Reserve, Millers Road. Altona West Primary School play Altona Under 12 in the fourth round of the Victorian Cup. Kick-off is at 2.45 p.m.

JUNIOR SOCCER

15th Melbourne Boys Brigade

West Western Suburbs Junior Soccer Federation completed the first round of their home and home series last Saturday.

So far this season the Altona Under 12 team has scored 71 goals, while opposing teams have scored only 13.

More than half of Altona's goals have been scored by the one player.

Young Nat Little has scored 42 so far this season.

Details of last Saturday's matches are—

UNDER 12

Altona West Primary School 1 (Mathieson), drew with Newport 1 (Ricci). BEST (Altona West): R. Gilpin, R. Knappont and A. Mijat. (Newport): F. Callus, R. Siedlecki, N. Sussa.

Altona 8 (Little 3, P. Reardon 2, G. Reardon 1, Collins 1, own goal), d. Brooklyn 0. BEST (Altona): B. Douglas, P. Reardon and I. Hughes. (Brooklyn): P. Whitehead, J. Robinson and R. Barrow.

UNDER 14

Sunshine City 15, d. Altona 0. BEST (Altona): A. Sturtard, M. Walsh and R. McClelland.

UNDER 16

Newport 2 (Bartkiewicz 2), d. West Newport-Lechnia 1 (Farquharson). BEST (Newport): Bartkiewicz, D. Millar and C. Neal. (West Newport): A. Chodan, L. Coppola and D. Gray.

Sunshine City 4, d. Altona 2 (Studley 1, Tydens 1). BEST (Altona): H. Dellemy, G. McFarlane and S. Slattery. East St. Albans-Sokil 15, d. Altona Hostel 0. BEST (Altona Hostel): Cook, Duerdon and Hollingworth.

UNDER 8

All entries for Under 8 years Summer Competition must be handed by August 15 to the secretary of the WSSFA, Mr. Victor Mahorin, 11 Marsden Crescent, St. Albans.

The Western Suburbs Soccer Federation will help the formation of the new clubs.

Most important next week is "Boys' Brigade Week" when members of the Brigade will be seeking charitable donations from friends and relatives for the extension of Christ's Kingdom amongst the boys of Altona.

Proceeds will be spent on gymnastic equipment, more band instruments and badges and awards for the end of the year, etc. So if you like what you see this Sunday morning in Sargood Street, please give generously to a worthy cause.

A new idea in the social field is the proposal of intersquad draughts matches at members' houses with beans and coffee as an inviting addition.

There was no inspection last week owing to the showing of slides.

INTER-LEAGUE DARTS MATCH FRIDAY

Tomorrow night, Friday, July 15, the Western Suburbs Darts Association meet the Metropolitan Suburbs League in the third round of the Victorian Darts Association Cup at the Yarraville Citizens Club commencing at 7.45 p.m.

Speculations as to the outcome of this match is mixed, as the Metropolitan League's potential is unknown, being a new League—however, their qualities as footballers are well known, as they are known as the East Brunswick Football Club—so on behalf of the Altona Football Club we will attempt to avenge some defeats.

The players from which the team will be selected are—

Doug Stirk, Alby Thorogood (Bristol), Colin Mannerling, Brian Smelt (Central), Wally Ellis, Ron Bailey, Dorio Sanfilippo (Seaholme), Kevin Skehan (Laverton), Max Conlan (Exchange), Ted Healy (Pioneer), Bob Borker (Commercial), and Mick Ellis (Altona RSL). Ken Styling (Goodrich) has again been appointed the non-playing captain.

As this night will be an open night, members will be allowed to take their wives or lady friends.

COMPETITION RESUMES

After a six weeks break the competition resumed last week and saw the addition of 12 new teams in Zone 3.

In ZONE 1 the only surprise result was the drawn game between Laverton Progress and Seaholme.

Bristol easily disposed of Pioneer 5-1.

In ZONE 2 Goodrich and Central again drew, making a draw for each time they have met.

Plough (2), who took the place of Deer Park (2), were soundly defeated by an experienced ICI 4-2.

Yarraville Club, low on the ladder, caused an upset by drawing with Altona RSL, who are third.

In ZONE 3 Plough (1) thrashed Point Hotel 6-0.

Bridge Hotel easily disposed of Altona RSL 4-2 and Bristol Patrons gained a 6-0 win over Racecourse Hotel, who failed to appear.

Sunshine RSL notched their first victory in defeating an experienced ICI 4-2.

Werribee managed to draw with Footscray RSL and Central gained a 4-2 victory over Pioneer.

RESULTS

ZONE 1

Bristol d. Pioneer 5-1. Central d. Commercial 4-2. Deer Park d. Racecourse 4-2. Laverton drew with Seaholme 3-3. UCA drew with Newport 3-3.

ZONE 2

Yarraville drew with Altona RSL 3-3. ICI d. Plough 4-2. Goodrich drew with Central 3-3. Footscray RSL d. Pioneer 4-2. Exchange had a bye.

ZONE 3

Bridge d. Altona RSL 4-2. Plough d. Point 6-0. Bristol Patrons d. Racecourse 6-0. Central d. Pioneer 4-2. Sunshine RSL d. ICI 4-2. Footscray RSL drew with Werribee 3-3.

NEXT GAMES

Matches for the week ending Friday, July 22, are as follows—

ZONE 1

WEDS.: Seaholme v. Commercial. THURS.: Central v. Racecourse. Deer Park v. UCA. FRI.: Pioneer v. Laverton. Newport v. Bristol.

ZONE 2

WEDS.: Altona RSL bye. THURS.: Goodrich v. Pioneer. FRI.: Footscray RSL v. Yarraville. ICI v. Central. Exchange v. Plough.

ZONE 3

WEDS.: Bristol Patrons v. Footscray RSL. THURS.: Racecourse v. Altona RSL. Bridge v. Plough. Pioneer v. Point. Werribee v. Sunshine RSL. FRI.: Central v. ICI.

RACV BRANCH FOR FOOTSCRAY

A new branch office of the Royal Automobile Club of Victoria will be opened early in 1967 in Nicholson Street, Footscray, said Mr. H. F. McLennan, RACV president, last week.

This building was planned several years ago when the RACV embarked on a policy of branch expansion.

The RACV now has eight branches scattered throughout Victoria.

Mr. McLennan said that the growth of the RACV in the last 10 years had been phenomenal and membership of the club which was now approaching 430,000, had increased by more than 8% each year over the last few years. He expected that RACV membership would reach 500,000 in 1968.

RACV road patrols assisted stranded motorists on 423,000 occasions in the last year—47 calls an hour every hour, said Mr. McLennan.

About three-quarters of the calls came from the Melbourne metropolitan area, and the rest from country districts. Road Service in Melbourne is given by 112 patrols who are stationed in various parts of the city. In the country 220 service stations assisted RACV members.

Frequently in country areas mechanics had to travel up to 60 miles to assist the stranded member.

During the year the RACV gave touring advice on 374,000 occasions, and assisted over 18,000 members who wished to travel outside Australia.

Dinner to Mark RSL's 50th Year

Hundreds of members of suburban RSL's—both men and women—are expected to attend a dinner to be held on August 1 to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the foundation of the RSL.

The dinner will be held at The Palais, St. Kilda.

The State President of the RSL, Brigadier Bill Hall, said today that it was hoped that every country town and city in Victoria would be represented at the dinner.

Sub-branches of the RSL throughout the suburbs had been given details of the dinner and many had already indicated that members would be attending.

Brigadier Hall said that returned servicemen and women wishing to attend the dinner should contact their local RSL sub-branches or Anzac House, 4 Collins Street, Melbourne. The official party at the dinner would include the Acting Premier, Mr. Rylah, the Lord Mayor, representatives of the Federal and State Parliaments including the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. A. Calwell, the heads of the fighting services, and many other community leaders.

"It will be the greatest social event in the history of the RSL," said Brigadier Hall. Proceeds, he added, would go to the RSL Welfare Funds.

"ALTONA STAR" KNOCK-OUT COMPETITION

The next round of this competition must be concluded by Friday, July 29. The draw is—

Pioneer (1) v. Central (2). Seaholme v. Commercial. Central (1) v. Laverton Progress. Bristol have the bye.

The semi-final and final will be conducted at the Altona RSL on Thursday, August 4, commencing at 7.45 p.m.



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METRO. FOOTBALL LEAGUE—FIRST XVIII

Altona Fail Again

ALTONA 4-0 4-1 5-2 6-3 —39
RESERVOIR 4-3 4-9 10-13 13-19—97

GOALS (Altona): Rohleder 1, Munro 1, Wenlock 1,
Harrington 1, Schwabe 1 and Devereaux 1.

BEST (Altona): Harrington, Devereaux and Tyrrell.

On a shocking, rain-affected ground at Reservoir, Altona were well beaten by the home side, mainly because they were unable to adapt themselves to four quarters of heavy going through mud and slush.

Reservoir were first to score with a goal, quickly followed by an equaliser to Altona when Rielly handballed to Rohleder, who made no mistake.

A kick off the ground by Cotter found Munro, who easily goaled and a pass from Rohleder to Wenlock put Altona's third goal up in 15 minutes.

Reservoir scored their second goal from a free kick at centre half forward and after a ball up near the home team's goal their rover scored another major.

At the 25 minute mark Reservoir scored their fourth goal to which Altona replied in time on when Rohleder passed to Harrington who kicked truly.

In the second term Reservoir were again first to score with a behind.

A free kick to Harrington resulted in Altona's first behind being scored. John Shaw was injured and was replaced by Bill Wooding.

At this stage of the game the rain was coming down by the bucket full and was starting to change the style of play as neither team were able to score goals, compared to eight straight shots in the first term.

Reservoir were quick to score in the third quarter and with a display of football that left Altona standing flatfooted, put on four quick goals.

Altona's only goal for the term was then scored by Ron Schwabe, only to see Reservoir put on another two goals

before three quarter time to give them a winning 37 point lead to start the final term.

The final quarter was once again all Reservoir, who put another three goals on the board to Altona's one, kicked by Devereaux after receiving a free.

COMMITTEE MEETING
A committee meeting of the Altona Football Club will be held on Tuesday, July 19, in the clubrooms at Grant Reserve.

"ALTONA STAR" SENIOR AWARDS
Saturday's votes and progress totals in the "Altona Star" Award for the two senior Altona Football Club teams are as follows—

FIRST XVIII
SATURDAY: W. Devereaux 3 votes, B. Locke 2 and G. Tyrrell 1.

PROGRESS
14 Mal Tisdale.
11 W. Devereaux.
7 B. Hogan.
6 N. Rohleder.
5 M. Piovesan, G. Tyrrell.
4 I. Harrington.
2 I. Harris, B. Locke, G. Munro, D. York.

RESERVE XVIII
SATURDAY: G. Sheriff 3 votes, P. Reid 2 and J. Neal 1.

PROGRESS
11 Morrie Tisdale.
6 J. Neal, D. Whitmore.
5 G. Morrish, R. Salisbury, L. Thompson.
3 T. Gurry, P. Huggins, P. McLean, J. Piovesan, P. Reid, W. Rowson, G. Sheriff.
2 P. Itter, K. Murphy, R. Petersen, K. Thompson, P. Vanderpoel, W. Wooding.
1 D. Hardem.

WESTERN SUBURBAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE TOP POSITIONS NOW SETTLED

Open age results so far indicate that West Newport and Newport will retain first and second places in the four.

But the other four positions will remain in doubt until the last round.

Central Altona, Laverton and Maidstone, with only six premiership points between them, are creating great interest in their battle for third and fourth places. None can afford a lapse in the remaining matches.

The top three sides in the Under 18 met the bottom three and showed their superiority. The same happened in the Under 16 where the top two comfortably defeated the bottom two.

OPEN AGE
Central Altona 4-23-47, d. Albion 4-3-27.
West Newport 17-19-121, d. Maidstone 7-6-48.
Newport 22-25-157, d. Kingsville 1-7-13.
Laverton 17-11-113, d. St. Albans 6-4-40.
South Kingsville Rovers had the bye.

UNDER 18
Altona 13-19-97, d. Werribee 2-8-20.
Central Altona 21-18-144, d. Laverton 5-4-34.
West Newport 31-22-208, d. Newport 4-3-27.

UNDER 16
Werribee 7-8-50, d. Altona 0-3-3.
West Newport 38-28-256, d. Devon Park 2-5-17.
Newport had the bye.

NEXT GAMES
Next weekend's games for all grades on grounds of first-named clubs (with the likely winners in capitals) are as follows—

Saturday
UNDER 16 (10 a.m.)
Devon Park v. ALTONA.
Newport v. WEST NEWPORT.
Werribee have the bye.

OPEN AGE (2.30 p.m.)
MAIDSTONE v. ALBION.
K'ville v. WEST NEWPORT.
St. Albans v. NEWPORT.
Sth. Kg. Rvs. v. LAVERTON.
Central Altona have the bye.

WESTERN SUBURBAN F.I.—UNDER 18

Easy Win for Juniors

ALTONA 2-1 8-6 11-12 13-19—97
WERRIBEE 0-1 0-2 2-6 2-8 —20

GOALS (Altona): MacFadyen 4, Hogan 3, Hobbs 1, Haugh 1, McCutcheon 1, Wenlock 1, Boyle 1 and Walker 1.
BEST (Altona): Butterworth, Allen, Walker, Duncan, Petersen and Boyle.

Before a large crowd at Grant Reserve on Sunday Altona Under 18's completely annihilated a weakened Werribee team—making certain of a double chance and taking another step forward in their quest for premiership honours this year.

McCutcheon replaced Salisbury (injured shoulder) in Altona's selected team and Kearsley and Jablonski were named at 19th and 20th men. Werribee won the toss and kicked to the swamp goal with the assistance of the south-westerly breeze.

Altona attacked from the bounce, but were easily repulsed and Werribee raced forward only to meet the rock-like defence of Butterworth, who marked twice to stem the advances. Allen broke up the next attack with a timely mark and his relieving kick found Thomson and Altona drove goalwards through Duncan, whose long kick registered the first score of the match—a behind to Altona.

"Moose" Wenlock and Rob Petersen were dominating the rucks for the home side and eventually first goal of the game went to "One Goal" Tom Hogan, who took a courageous mark in front of the pack and was flattened on the edge of the goal square. Picking himself up he had no difficulty in kicking truly. Thomson, Ian Rielly and Alan Davis were a very strong first line of defence for Altona and what ever passed them was quickly collared by Butterworth and Peter Taylor.

"Tiger" McDonald roved nicely to a boundary throw-in and passed to Hobbs who was freed and up came Altona's second goal of the game. The quarter was almost gone before Werribee broke the ice with a behind.

The Altona rucks had kept the pressure on the Werribee defence and the local backmen had done a wonderful job to give their side the advantage at the end of the first quarter.

Werribee won the knockout at the start of the second quarter but "Bones" Thomson and Wenlock combined to send Altona forward and Boyle, who was covering a terrific amount of ground at centre half forward found MacFadyen and up came the home team's third goal.

The backlines continued to dominate the game—full pressure on Werribee was eased as they raced the ball around the wing and an easy shot was off target for only a behind. Forcing the ball around the pavilion wing Altona got the ball to the pocket only to be stopped from further progress by a series of throw-ins and inability by their rovers to break into the open.

Haugh marked and kicked truly for Altona's fourth goal. Back into attack they raced and again Werribee forced the ball out near the behind post. Wenlock hit Hobbs on the chest with the knockout, but the little rover could only score a behind. Walker spun out of the pack in the next sortie forward and was also off line for a behind and then it happened. MacFadyen ran riot and in two minutes had scored as many goals, bringing up his third for the quarter and his fiftieth for the season.

Back into attack came the home side and Walker's snap was touched on the way through. Another behind followed to keep the pressure on the Werribee defenders. Wenlock secured from the kick-in and streaked away to drive a long shot right through the centre.

Again Altona drove goalwards as Hobbs passed to Boyle whose long hand pass found Wenlock, but this time "Moose" was astray with his shot and scored only a point. "Bones" Thomson, Rielly and Davis continued to dominate across the Altona half back line and combining through

McDonald and McCutcheon it was left to MacFadyen to score his fourth goal for the quarter as Altona went in at half time with a lead of 52 points.

With the use of the wind Werribee started the second half by trying to attack, but Altona turned them aside on the outer flank and Peachey found Boyle who scored a behind.

Again Altona attacked and Hogan took a good mark but kicked off target for another behind. Werribee then took a hand and attacked continuously and although taking the long way round the flank instead of straight down the centre raised their supporters hopes when they registered their first goal for the game. Thomson and Jablonski, who had replaced Ian Rielly (injured shoulder) at half-time, struggled manfully for Altona and kept forcing the Werribee forwards into hurried shots and only three behinds came from repeated attacks.

Jablonski, showing a lot of fire and dash on a half back flank, combined with Petersen to land the ball with Denis Boyle and his long kick went through just as he was dragged to the ground. Around the wing went Werribee once again, but Peachey found Petersen on the rebound and his long left footer went through for another behind. Before Werribee managed to score their second goal.

From the bounce the Altona rucks again took control and MacFadyen scored another behind before Hogan marked to kick his second goal.

Werribee continued to attack round the wing and after scoring another behind Altona kicked a behind through Peachey's long shot. Hobbs got a behind before McDonald found Walker for Altona's next goal and at three quarter time Altona had the game in their keeping when they led by 60 points.

Determined to make every post a winning post Altona attacked from the bounce, but MacFadyen scored a behind. Wenlock hit out to Boyle who found Hobbs in the goal square, but his shot was touched as he played on without waiting for the umpire's whistle—it was a bit late.

Walker continued off target and MacFadyen missed an easy shot for another behind. Hogan kicked truly to register Altona's twelfth goal and McCutcheon snapped the next from a scuffle close in. Werribee over did the hand ball on the forward line and although attacking consistently found it hard to score more than two points. All interest had gone from the game as Altona were off target for MacFadyen to miss another easy one and Walker finished off the game by scoring two more behinds.

ALTONA UNDER 18 FOOTBALL NOTES

The special effort was won by No. A99 last Sunday, Mr Mick Johnson.

There will be a pie night tonight, Thursday, July 14, at the South Melbourne Football Club for the Under 18 and Under 16 teams. A bus will leave Melletts corner at 6.45 p.m.

A general meeting of the Under 18 Club will be held on Wednesday, July 20, at the Homestead.

NEXT GAME
Next Sunday Altona Under 18's will meet the improving Laverton at Laverton Oval. All are welcome.

WESTERN SUBURBAN F.L.—UNDER 18 LAVERTON DOWN IN POOR DISPLAY

CENTRAL ALTONA 8-4 13-5 17-11 21-18—144
LAVERTON 1-0 3-1 3-3 5-4 — 34

GOALS (Central Altona): Szatkowski 6, Montgomery 5, Lawrrin 4, De Micheal 2, R. Hendry 2, Smutney 1 and Harris 1. (Laverton): Morrison 2, James 1, Hoggar 1 and Toohey 1.

BEST (Central Altona): G. Puopolo, M. Lawrrin, R. Hendry and L. Deluca. (Laverton): G. Hoggar, Al Giblin, J. Thomson, T. Monk, B. Smith and D. Jarrett.

Before the game began John Thompson was elected vice-captain of Laverton due to the absence of suspended captain Terry Howells.

The first quarter began with Centrals in complete control in most positions on the ground. They quickly banged on three goals and would have had many more had it not been for the tight defence of "Sharpie" Giblin the other back men. However they continued as they pleased and added another five goals.

Laverton's only goal for the quarter was kicked by the quarter was kicked by Gary Morrison—right on the siren. Lack of handball, teamwork and a misunderstanding on the forward line had not helped Laverton's position.

The second term saw Laverton playing more purposeful football but Central's defence held firm. Laverton's first goal for the quarter was kicked by David Toohey. Then fire came into the game when Brian Smith (L) was downed heavily behind the play. After a good mark, Morrison kicked his second and Laverton's third. Laverton now fought hard, led by John Thompson who was displaying a great fighting spirit.

The third term began with Jarrett (L) off the field and Thompson at centre half back.

Central Altona attacked relentlessly, but Giblin in the last line of defence defended grandly. Laverton's ruckman

Hoggar, was winning handsomely in the ruck.

At the close of the quarter utility player Gary Morrison was carried from the ground unconscious after some unduly rough play.

With only 17 men, Laverton battled in the last quarter and only their courage stopped their more talented Central opponents from running riot around the goals.

Giblin kept Central at bay on numerous occasions.

Thomson, Hoggar and Rees also defended grimly. Laverton's fourth goal came from a free kick to young Kerry James. Then Hoggar marked strongly to kick Laverton's fifth. Meanwhile, Central Altona had kicked their 21st goal.

The teamwork displayed by Central Altona was worthy of a team in the four and with players still to come back in to the team Centrals are going to take a lot of beating.

For Central Altona G. Puopolo played a strong game all round the field and marked strongly overhead; M. Lawrrin, playing his second game for the weekend, showed great stamina in rucking consistently for three quarters; R. Hendry gave the team an added lift around the packs with a tenacious game; L. Deluca played his best game for the season on the centre wing and showed team mates what excellent disposal can mean to a team.

WESTERN SUBURBAN F.L.—OPEN AGE CENTRALS KICK BADLY—BUT WIN

Showing shocking inaccuracy in front of goal for a team in the four, Central Altona spoilt a wonderful opportunity to gain much needed percentage.

It was most surprising to see this inaccuracy as only one week previous from 18 shots, Centrals managed 14 goals. These constant kicking lapses Central Altona fall into will have to be rectified if this team is to pull off its second consecutive premiership.

The game in general was of little interest as it was only Central's kicking that kept Albion in the game.

For Central Altona R. Wilson played a damaging game on the wing, giving the forward line constant chances to score; E. Jepsen, at centre half back, thwarted all attempts from Albion to gain the lead; M. Sayers, on the half back flank, turned in his usual hard game; M. Lawrrin, playing his first game after being promoted from the Under 18 team, showed what an asset he will be in the future.

After 10 games Central Altona have won seven games and lost three games.

They have kicked a total of 108 goals 141 behinds and have had kicked against them 87 goals 66 behinds.

Leading goalkickers for the seniors are—E. Jepsen 17, T. Holland 14, D. Kakoschke 14, G. Coulston 13 and G. Harrington 9.

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Altona West Primary Sport

FOOTBALL

ALTONA WEST v. ALTONA FIRSTS

The last match of the home and home series proved to be a good, hard match, Altona winning 9-6-60 to 0-2-2. The scores were not a true indication of the match as West played doggedly right up to the final bell, but all to no avail.

BEST (Altona West): Burnett, de Neef, Carter, Hayes and Mathieson.

SECONDS

Altona West were beaten by Altona by seven points, due to inaccuracy up forward. Altona West kicked 2-5-17.

BEST (Altona West): Grainiger, Dern, Douglas, W. Jones, Deans and Grileve.

CRICKET

In the District Schools Competition between Williams town, Altona and Werribee Primary Schools, R. Mathieson of the Altona West team, had second top bowling average with 22 wickets for 87 runs at an average of 3.95.

BASKETBALL

ALTONA WEST v. ALTONA

Altona West had their most successful day ever, with both teams winning well.

FIRSTS

Under the captaincy of Heather Joyce, Altona West ran out easy winners by playing a fast and spectacular game to win 30-7.

Best for West in a very even team were Jennifer Joyce and Rose Cassar.

Altona's best were Dianne Elliott and Maureen Searle.

SECONDS

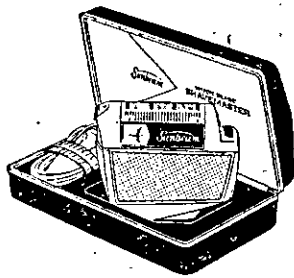
As was predicted early in the season this team has improved considerably and under the captaincy of Jennifer Harrington this week narrowly defeated Altona in a keenly contested game with the final scores being Altona West 16, Altona 13.

BEST (Altona West): Kerrie Howell and Gayle Rohleder. (Altona): Janet Scott and Debbie Cronin.

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ALTONA HOCKEY CLUB RESULTS

A RESERVE

Unfortunately Altona could not manage a win for Alan Baillie's last match, and went down fighting 2-0.

C NORTH

On their home ground the Altona team combined well all day and played good, entertaining hockey against fair opposition from Essendon. In doing so netted the ball six times for the game. In the first half Altona were on top and left the Don's flat-footed in the race for the ball and didn't let them into the circle to score. Essendon made many positional changes in the second half, but play was still much the same as before.

GOALS: E. McCauley 3, S. Buchanan 1, S. Cronin 1 and F. Ranger 1.

BEST: S. Buchanan, E. McCauley and B. Smith.

C WEST

Showing a lot more co-operation than in previous weeks, Altona defeated Old Melbournians 2-1.

In spite of the rough play by some of the opposing side, the A's settled down to good hockey and were unlucky not to score more goals.

With a bit of luck and a few more wins, this side could make the finals.

GOALS: S. Hyde 1 and A. Voss 1.

BEST: I. Neale and W. Smith.

D NORTH

Altona met Ivanhoe on their ground, conditions being wet and slippery. From the bully Ivanhoe were quickly into attack and had scored two goals within three minutes, whilst their next goal came up with a controversial penalty flick.

Altona fought back and at half-time they were in complete control with the scores Ivanhoe 4, Altona 3.

During the second half the play stayed in the centre, neither team being able to force the ball into the circle, whilst Altona lacked all form which they showed earlier.

Certain members of the teams will have to learn not to bicker the umpires.

Altona 3, lost to Ivanhoe 5.

GOALS: B. Gardner 1, J. Grant 1 and R. Buchanan 1.

BEST: Mark Cibej gave a consistent game all day at left half and Brian Gardner, left innter, combined vigor with

determination for an excellent first half.

UNDER 16

Altona, not playing up to final four form, were beaten all day by a less experienced team in Melbourne High School. At half-time Altona were down 2-0.

After the change, Altona, finding a small amount of determination but not system, forced the ball into the net twice to even the score, but could not find the winning goal and had to be satisfied with a 2-2 draw.

GOALS: Cronin 1 and Ford 1.

BEST: Forrester and Smith.

UNDER 14

Altona started this game determined to avenge their defeat of the previous week.

Attacking from the first bully the team swept aside all opposition and scored within the first five minutes. Play remained this way for the entire game with good passing between the forwards running the defence of the opposition into the ground.

Concentration lapsed on several occasions, but good attacking defence by McKinnon and McLennan never allowed any penetration of the defensive circle.

Altona went on to win 5-0.

GOALS: Pratt 2, Duncan 1, P. Byrne 1 and Carruthers 1.

BEST: P. Byrne, G. McKinnon and R. Pratt.

UNDER 12

Altona had a very easy win over the bottom side on the ladder, Strathmore. The game from the start was one-sided but Altona keeping the ball in attack for the complete first half were only able to put one ball in the net after many near misses.

The second half was similar to the first half with one exception, captain John Trickey started to shoot straight. The other inside forwards, Bruce Cronin and John Forrester, realising that their captain was on target, kept passing to him to see the ball hit with great power into the net. This side with only two more home and home matches, seems sure to retain the top position on the ladder.

Altona 9, defeated Strathmore 0.

GOALS: J. Trickey 8 and J. Forrester 1.

BEST: J. Trickey and G. Richardson.

Ladies Hockey

GRADE B2

Altona B2 Grade lost their match against X2 3-0.

BEST: J. Hayes and R. Hayes.

D GRADE

On Saturday Altona played Sunshine High School at Sunshine. Although Altona won with the score 8-0, Altona still needs to concentrate some more on the advantage of using all the team to get around the opposition.

Many goals were missed because of the hurried hits for goal by the forward line when they could have taken their time, but with the backing up from the half back line, Altona kept in the attacking position with a result of eight goals scored during the game.

GOALS: Liz Szatkowski 5, M. Duckett 1, A. Scherman 1 and J. Erickson 1.

BEST: C. Molloy.

D RESERVE

Altona lost to Ivanhoe 4-0. Altona were unlucky as they had as many opportunities as their opponents.

BEST: Gail Studley.

Altona Youth Club Basketball

Last Monday night Altona Youth Club basketball teams had one win and one loss.

The No. 1 Altona team, with three players injured, was a skimpy team, but the locals put up a good effort against the Demons, only losing to them in the last two minutes. Final scores were Altona 42, Demons 45.

The match was lost when Jim Davis and Peter Wagner went off after five fouls and left the team with only four players.

This was Ken Beckett's first game with A Grade and he was the best player.

No. 2 team defeated Kowazies 36-17. All night this was a scrappy game which may have been due to both teams wearing all yellow uniforms, the only difference being in the colour of their numbers.

Best player was Colin Rattray.

At a players meeting held late the same night they decided to enter the Victorian Championships.

The annual meeting of the teams will be held on Sunday, July 24, at 10.30 a.m. at the Altona Youth Hall in Civic Parade.

Any person interested in promoting basketball will be most welcome to attend.

Nominations will be accepted for office-bearers.

Altona Tennis Club News and Teams

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

SATURDAY, JULY 16

1 p.m. Boys Under 14 Singles. Boys Under 12 Singles.

2 p.m.: Girls Under 12 Final—H. Shields v. J. Findlay.

Girls Under 14 Final—J. Walker v. B. Sandilands.

SUNDAY, JULY 17

10.30 a.m.: Girls Under 16 Final—J. Walker v. M. Orchard.

12.30 p.m.: Men's Singles Final—R. Graham v. C. Trickey.

1.30 p.m.: Ladies Singles—J. Parkinson v. L. Findlay.

2.30 p.m.: Men's Doubles Final—R. Graham-R. Newgreen v. J. Kelly-M. Kelly.

These matches will be followed by the presentation of trophies.

JUNIOR TEAMS FOR THIS SUNDAY

A Grade No. 1 v. Liston (1), away—K. Walsh, G. Russell and V. Grodovitch (D. White). S. Morrow, J. Hill and M. Orchard (B. Walker).

A Grade No. 2 v. Yarraville, at Altona—G. Findlay, J. Diener and P. Sawyer (J. Trickey). J. Walker, B. Sandilands and J. Neale (B. Walker).

B Grade No. 1 v. Liston, at Altona—W. Thomas, W. Kelly and L. McKinnon (M. Penfold). J. Critchley, B. Penfold and G. Bryant (J. Faulkinder).

B Grade No. 2 v. Liston, at Nelson Place—G. Wood, C. Sutton and R. Groves (M. Penfold). J. Findlay, R. Webb and L. Smith (Y. Robertson).

Western Suburbs Churches Football

Results of matches played in the Western Suburbs Churches Colts Football Association last Saturday, July 9, are as follows—

UNDER 17

Yarraville Combine 6-11-47, d. Newport Meths. 4-3-27.

Holy Trinity 8-5-53, d. Altona Meths. 4-5-29.

GOALS (Altona): G. Page 3 and Liddle 1.

BEST (Altona): G. Page, Crump, Newton, Chalmers, Garde and Flett.

Spotswood Meths. received a walkover from Williamstown Meths.

NEXT ROUND

Yarraville Combine v. Holy Trinity. Spotswood v. Newport. Williamstown v. Altona.

UNDER 14

Yarraville Combine 17-15-117, d. West Newport 2-2-14.

GOALS (West Newport): P. Smith 1 and L. McGowan 1.

BEST (West Newport): Barresi, P. Smith, McGowan, Healey, Watson and Frost.

Williamstown Meths. received a walkover from Spotswood.

Yarraville Combine had the bye.

NEXT ROUND

Yarraville v. Holy Trinity. Spotswood v. West Newport. Williamstown have the bye.

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LETTERS to the EDITOR

Dear Sir,
A communal situation exists which should be expounded.

Basketball is a sport of major interest at the local technical school. This is clearly evident from the publicity it receives in your paper and from observations of the recreational activities of the students. It appears that it ceases here. Students with whom I have spoken, unwittingly treat it as a distraction or a mode of dissipating latent energies. It is treated as such because there is no local competition in which they can engage, once student days are through.

Players who are intensely interested or show potential are absorbed by the larger clubs. From the larger clubs viewpoint such a situation is ideal (you build them up and we will pick the eyes). This situation is inevitable under the present conditions.

To stimulate local interest a basketball club was established. The teams it fields, team, in the Monday night an A Grade and a C Grade competition at the VABA Centre at Albert Park, are quite successful. Training sessions at the Youth Centre were initially satisfactory, and interest by local industry was increasing, but now the organisation must be shelved.

This situation is induced by two major causes. Primarily, as indicated above, the larger clubs factor and secondly because the YC is showing a degree of dispendence.

The solution to this problem may be achieved by establishment of a basketball centre within the community. It would be yet another first for Altona and would positively establish the community in another field of activity.

Yours,
M. RATTRAY.

Dear Sir,
I desire to point out what appears to me to be a direct contradiction of what you espouse to be your policy regarding readers contributions to your paper (Editorial, "Altona Star" 7.7.66) and the inadequacy of a few lines under the Altona North sewerage plan on Page 5 of the same issue.

Why you accepted these drawings for publication from the Board of Works Commissioner, Cr. Ginifer, without accepting his offer of the report on sewerage progress in the area can only be guessed at.

Altona ratepayers will now be informed of the MMBW's plans to sewer Altona North through a journal other than the "Altona Star"; a journal which would not consider it ethical, expedient nor even intelligent to omit to print important and detailed information regarding the progress being made on sewerage reticulation, in favour of advertising in support of Labor opposition candidate Crofts in the forthcoming election.

Yours faithfully,

N. F. WALSH.

[By the courtesy of Cr. J. J. Ginifer we were able to publish last week graphic details of the situation of Altona North sewerage.

[This we feel was largely self-explanatory.

[Through a misunderstanding which has already been discussed with Cr. Ginifer, no copy of a report on sewerage was available at the time of going to press. No information on hand was omitted.—EDITOR.]

Dear Sir,
As an interested ratepayer of the Shire I believe it would be very fitting if the present councillors will specifically state—

1. How long it will be before the 35 hour week will be introduced?
2. If it is not to be introduced immediately, will it be introduced as soon as possible after the August elections?
3. If and when introduced what is the estimated rise in rates?

Yours faithfully,
INTERESTED RATEPAYER.

Dear Sir,
At the last election the people of Altona gave me an overwhelming majority to serve as their councillor.

I have, through the Press, expressed my appreciation to the ratepayers for their vote of confidence in me and I trust that my endeavours in council have met with their approval.

I have been asked by many ratepayers of Altona to make myself available for re-election at the forthcoming council elections in August.

I therefore offer my services to the people of Altona with the same humble attitude as I did previously and I promise that if re-elected, I will try to serve them with the same enthusiasm as I have in the past.

Altona is in the midst of a great change and I hope that my efforts on behalf of the people of Altona will assist in this very interesting stage of development.

I wish to repeat my earlier statement that I am not anti-Labor. I have proved this many times since being in council; but I emphasize that I am free from any party domination whose policies and interests are not always the best for Altona. It is not what the supporters of party policies want in Altona, but rather, what the people of Altona want.

I ask the people of Altona to again elect me as their councillor at the forthcoming elections so that I can continue to present their viewpoint at the council table.

Yours sincerely,
CR. LES CROFTS.

Dear Sir,

Your Editorial ("Star," 7.7.66) states — "That the local paper publishes the news you do not see in the daily papers." I agree with this—especially in reference to the article on your front page of the same issued under "Health Scheme" to which your reporting on a radio broadcast on station 3KZ by Mrs. Mary Evans and her supposed mention of a Health Scheme being investigated by Altona councillors.

Mrs. Evans made no mention at all on such a scheme, her broadcast was based only on air pollution, the SEC briquette depot and the policy of the Bolte Government around this matter.

This incorrect reporting has no doubt embarrassed Mrs. Evans, and it is assumed that an explanation of this "blunder" by your paper will be forthcoming. I understand that this particular issue of the "Star" was freely circulated gratis in the northern part of Altona. Will this be done again when an explanation of this "blunder" is given?

In closing I might add that Mrs. Evan's broadcast on the dust pollution and matters surrounding it was a credit to her, and her preparation of her material for the talk is to be commended.

Yours respectfully,

G. F. STIRLING.

[We agree with Mr. Stirling. Our further reference will be found on Page 1.—EDITOR.]

ALTONA EAST SCHOOL SPORT

BASKETBALL FIRSTS

Altona East completely overwhelmed Newport, and with good team play and co-operation, and Pama Deluca throwing 27 goals, ran out easy winners, 35 goals to 4.

GOALS: P. Deluca 27, and D. Deluca 8.
BEST: Sharon Stovell and Lidia Berlovan.

SECONDS

Altona East again won very easily, 28 goals to 3, completing four wins for the day's sport.

GOALS: A. Savvopoulos 23 and S. Carabott 5.
BEST: Gayle Yardley and Suzanne Caraboth.

ALTONA APPRENTICE WINS AWARD



Victorian Railways apprentice boilermaker, John Arthur Clarke, 20 years, of Civic Parade, Altona, has been selected to receive the Australian Welding Institute's "Apprentice Opportunity Award" for 1966.

John, who is in the Steel Preparation Shop at Newport Workshops, will attend the Australian Welding Institute's National Welding Convention in Brisbane, in September.

He has a railway family background. His father John completed his apprenticeship with the Victorian Railways, and his grandfather, the late Norman Victor Clarke, was also a railway apprentice and retired from the railways as a foreman boilermaker.

In this photograph the award winning apprentice is shown at work on a new railway wagon.

"FUNNY GIRL"

Continuing as one of the most successful musical comedies ever to play Australia is "Funny Girl," which after a lengthy season at Her Majesty's Theatre, Sydney, transferred to the Theatre Royal in that city.

It is a known fact in show business that shows do not transfer from one theatre to another in the same city, but "Funny Girl" is the exception. There are indications that it could quite easily play for two years in Sydney, but prior commitments of the theatre requires it to conclude its season there and come to Melbourne early August.

Jill Perryman, the brilliant young Australian of diverse talents, plays the starring role of "Funny Face" and her performance has been acclaimed by all as quite equal to that of Barbara Streisand on Broadway.

The musical "Funny Girl" has been described as one of the greatest musicals of all times. The New York press stated—"Funny Girl" has fireworks" (Time Magazine); "Bob Merrill's lyrics are light-miles above average." The Ziegfeld Production numbers have been staged with affection and precision" (Kerr Herald Tribune); "Funny Girl" is just this side of paradise. Isobel Lennart's dialogue is vigorous and colourful." (Nadel, World Telegram and Sun). "Magificent, sublime, extraordinary, electric—you may have guessed by now that I liked 'Funny Girl.' Liked? Hell, I loved it." (Lewis, Cue Magazine).

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FOOTBALL—EAST ZONE

School	W	L	%
Altona North	5	1	147.8
Altona East	4	1	270.6
Newport West	2	3	75.0
Williamstown North	2	3	68.5
Williamstown	1	4	73.3
Footscray	1	4	59.3

FOOTBALL—WEST ZONE

School	W	L	%
Altona	5	1	530.2
Seaholme	4	1	317.0
Laverton	3	2	133.0
Werribee	2	3	51.8
Glen Devon	1	4	32.6
Altona West	1	5	34.6

BASKETBALL—EAST ZONE

School	W	L	%
Newport West	5	1	688.5
Williamstown North	4	1	157.5
Altona East	3	2	162.7
Newport	2	3	35.1
Altona North	1	4	43.6
Williamstown	1	5	39.3

BASKETBALL—WEST ZONE

School	W	L	%
Werribee	5	1	275.5
Glen Devon	4	1	203.3
Seaholme	3	2	156.7
Altona West	2	3	108.3
Altona	1	4	75.0
Laverton	1	5	11.8

FOOTBALL SEMI-FINALS

Football semi-finals to be played at 1.30 p.m. on Friday, July 15, are as follows—
Altona v. Altona East (at the J. T. Gray Reserve).
Altona North v. Seaholme (at Grant Reserve).

BASKETBALL SEMI-FINALS

Basketball semi-finals to be played at 1.30 p.m. on Friday, July 15, are as follows—
Newport West v. Glen Devon (at Seaholme Primary School).
Werribee v. Williamstown North (at Seaholme Primary School).

The best and fairest awards for the district were won by Russel Ewen (Seaholme) in Football, and Leonie Parker (Williamstown) in basketball.

Russel was voted best on the ground in all five games in which his school played, on four occasions and second while Leonie was voted best in the remaining game.

FINAL VOTES—FOOTBALL

R. Ewen (Seaholme)	10
M. Cassar (Altona East)	9
R. Carrington (Npt. W.)	8
M. Carrol (Altona North)	8
J. Scott (Newport)	8

FINAL VOTES—BASKETBALL

L. Parker (Williamstown)	9
A. Szrek (Newport West)	7
A. Stevens (W'town North)	7
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HADDOW (Joiner).—Rose Mary and John happily announce the arrival of their daughter, Angela Gaye, on July 5, at Footscray and District Hospital. Both well.

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JACKMAN.—In loving memory of Dad, who passed away July 14, 1963. You were a Dad very true and rare. Content in your home and always there. You guided our paths and helped us along. If we follow your footsteps we'll not go wrong. Loving daughter Marie, George and beloved Gramps of David and Julie Ann.

BANNERMAN, Fred (late 1st AIF).—In loving memory of my dear husband, who passed away July 11, 1964. Your loving wife Ethel.

BANNERMAN, Fred.—In loving memory of our dear Dad and Grandad. Miriam, Charles and grand-children.

THANKS

KELLY.—The family of the late Mrs. L. Kelly, 51 Belmar Ave., Altona, extend their sincere thanks to Drs. Frajman and Leyden, and the staff of the Altona Hospital, also the friends and neighbours, for their kind thoughts, floral tributes and cards, during our recent sad loss.

KELLY.—A special thanks to Sister, J. Vincent of the MDNS for her kindness and unflinching service during our late Mother's illness, also to Mr. and Mrs. D. Englezakis and family, their friendship and kindness could not be repaid. The family of the late Mrs. L. Kelly, 51 Belmar Ave., Altona.

MR. MOUNTAIN and family wish to thank neighbours and friends for flowers and expressions of sympathy on the passing of Mrs. Mountain. Also members of the Elderly Citizens Club, Dr. Frajman and staff of the Altona and Footscray Hospitals.

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ENGAGEMENTS

SCULLEY-DICKSON.—The engagement is announced of Roslyn Sculley, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Sculley, of 140 Maidstone St., Altona, to Leslie Dickson, of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Dickson, of 23 Gordon Cres., Kensington.

PUBLIC NOTICES

MR. R. E. GREIN, A.A.S.A., Public Accountant, has commenced practice at 27 Myrtle Grove, Altona. Telephone 398-1014.

TAXATION.—For the convenience of clients office hours will be extended to August 31 as follows—Monday-Friday: 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturdays: 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. **NOEL C. HAM**, 49 Civic Parade, Altona. 398-1089. After Hrs. 306-5479.

TOTAL ABSTAINERS.—The Independent Order of Rechabites meets monthly on the third Thursday at the Baptist Hall, Sargood Street, Altona, and offers you special benefits. Information from A. Hurler, 6 Bell Ave., Altona. 398-1546.

PUBLIC NOTICES

FIRING PRACTICES—WILLIAMSTOWN RIFLE RANGE AREA

The PUBLIC is hereby warned that FIRING PRACTICES with rifle, machine gun, machine carbine and pistol may be carried out between 0730 hours and 1900 hours daily in the WILLIAMSTOWN RIFLE RANGE area.

DURING THE MONTH OF JULY, 1966.

Members of the public must keep clear of the area defined below.

DEFINED AREA

All the land of the WILLIAMSTOWN area known as MERRETT RIFLE RANGE that is to say all that land SOUTH of KOROROIT the WILLIAMSTOWN (or CREEK ROAD) enclosed between the junction of KOROROIT CREEK with the EASTERN boundary line of MADDOX STREET; thence in a NORTHERLY direction to the corner of MADDOX STREET and KOROROIT CREEK ROAD; thence in an EASTERLY direction to the junction of KOROROIT CREEK ROAD with the property of the Victorian State Education Department, thence in a SOUTHERLY direction along this boundary and the boundaries of housing properties; thence again in an EASTERLY direction for 259 yards to the boundary fence of the Girls' School; thence again in a SOUTHERLY direction to the PORT PHILLIP BAY FORESHORE; thence in a WEST and NORTH WESTERLY direction along the FORESHORE to the junction of KOROROIT CREEK with the EASTERN boundary line of MADDOX STREET afore-mentioned; and for a distance of 3200 yards SOUTH (into PORT PHILLIP BAY) through the length of this FORESHORE widening to a length of 3800 yards at its SOUTHERN extremity.

ENTRY INTO THE AREA Members of the public seeking entry into the range proper in the course of business must first make application to the Range Superintendent. Telephone 65-6027. Entry for any other reason is forbidden.

Members of the public are warned against entry into the danger area of PORT PHILLIP BAY whenever firing practices are being conducted.

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£600 DEPOSIT—VENDOR TERMS. Established weather board dwelling in main road position, close to shops and schools, transport passes door. This one would suit the handy man as some repairs are required.

Official Opening of St. Leo's

• Continued from Page 1. values were not at the premium of today's inflated prices. The eight acres remained covered with thistles and rocks for some years.

Then in January of 1965, Fr. Kierce received his instructions to move to Altona North and create a new parish. In the February he began saying Mass in St. Paul's College buildings.

Moves were soon afoot for more and larger facilities, so the Sacrificial Giving Campaign was launched in June of 1965. Architects were interviewed and a decision was reached by the building committee, to build a church hall and presbytery.

Activity began in earnest in January of 1966, culminating in both buildings being ready on schedule.

Now that the first stage has been completed, the second stage which is the school and convent, has been made even more urgent.

If any measure can be taken by a recent census conducted by the men of the parish this shows a catholic population of some 1200 families.

It is confidently expected that work shall commence on the school midway through 1967, enabling it to be open for the 1968 school year.

The third and final stage is the church proper, and after seeing preliminary sketches it is going to be very modern.

SHIRE OF ALTONA TENDERS

Tenders addressed to the Shire President, care of the Civic Offices, 115 Civic Parade, Altona, will be received until noon on Friday, July 22, 1966, for the supply of a 10 cwt. utility. Specifications are available from the Shire Engineer, 65-8181.

JAMES W. WATERS, Shire Secretary.

Soccer Comes to Altona West School



Altona West Primary is the first school to enter an Under 12 team in the Western Suburbs Junior Soccer Federation. To encourage the young players the Altona West shop-keepers donated the cost of providing the team with a full set of guernseys. Photographed after presentation of the cheque are (from the left): Mr. Buttigieg, representing the shop-keepers, Mr. Dunlop, president of the Altona Soccer Club, Mr. Thorpe, school sports master, Mr. Sullivan, head master of Altona West, and Mr. Walsh, coach of the Altona Soccer Club's Under 12 team.

METRO. FOOTBALL L. RESERVE XVIII

ALTONA RESERVES DOWN BY 16 PTS.

RES'VOIR 3.2 5.3 8.5 8.6—54
ALTONA 1.1 4.2 4.4 5.8—38

GOALS (Altona): J. Piovesan 2, Stevenson 1, Thompson 1 and Itter 1.

BEST (Altona): Morrie Tisdale, B. Neal, Salisbury, Itter and Stevenson.

The first quarter was very ragged, with Reservoir having most of the play.

The only determination shown by Altona was when the ball was forced forward by Tisdale, where Stevenson goal.

A glorious kick by Stevenson from near the centre landed the ball in the goal square and Piovesan, scouting well, snapped a goal.

Itter received a free after unduly rough play before the ball was bounced. From his kick Ardison marked, then he passed to Thompson, who put the ball right through the centre. Altona were showing more determination at this stage.

Drew took a good mark and his kick deserved more than a behind. Itter grabbed the ball from the pack and he passed to Piovesan, who dobed this second and Altona's fourth goal.

Then Altona's backline let their men run loose and Reservoir scored two quick goals to put them seven points up at half time.

Davidson received a free from upfield and passed to Drew, whose kick was forced through for a behind. After a hit-out by Ardison, Itter, playing the ball along the ground, picked it up and put it through for Altona's final goal for the match.

SEAHOLME SCHOOL SPORT AND NEWS

The Victorian Primary Schools Sports Council has appointed Mr. A. F. Blackie, head teacher of Seaholme Primary School, as manager of the Victorian Primary Schools Football Team to take part in the Australian Primary Schools National Football Carnival, to be held in Adelaide, from August 20 to 31.

The 25 boys selected in the squad are under 15 on June 30, 1966. Eleven of the squad are country boys from Stawell, Traalgon, Sale, Bendigo, Shepparton, Hopetown, Kerang, Miraboo North, Apollo Bay, Camperdown and Echuca.

Edward Horton, of Williams, town High School, has been selected to play in his second interstate carnival.

Mr. Blackie describes the team as "big, tall and talented."

On Saturday next at Richmond Football Ground the Victorian team will play the Melbourne High Schools Under 16 team, commencing at 9.30 a.m.

Mr. Colin Crawford, of Mooroolbark Technical School was appointed coach of the team.

SCHOOL TEAM

Seaholme Primary School Football Team (Firsts) climaxed a successful season at home and home games last Thursday with a crushing eight goal defeat of Glen Devon School.

Throughout the season the team was defeated on one occasion only, finishing in second place.

Next Friday Seaholme will meet Altona North in a district semi-final and, if successful will proceed direct to the district grand final on July 22.

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ALTONA NORTH TECH. BASKETBALL

It was a night of very mixed fortunes last Friday night as Altona North Technical School (Ants) sneaked into the finals in their first year of Under 18 A Grade Basketball and found three of the other four sides out of the finals only on percentage.

The Saturday night Under 14 B Grade will continue for some time yet, and both Ants teams are proceeding at a merry old rate.

RESULTS

UNDER 18 A GRADE.—Ants 24 (Anderson 10), d. Dandenong 20.

UNDER 18 B GRADE.—Ants 46 (O'Malley 14), d. F. & Y. Youth Club 22.

UNDER 16 A GRADE.—Church 32, d. Ants 20 (Smithwick 8).

UNDER 16 B GRADE.—West Footscray 15, d. Ants 12 (Bentley 8).

UNDER 14 A GRADE.—Church 25, d. Ants 10 (D. Luck 4).

UNDER 14 B GRADE (No. 1 Team).—Fawkner 21, d. Ants 11 (Straubinger 3).

UNDER 14 B GRADE (No. 2 Team).—Ants 16 (Vassiliadis 8), d. Northern C.C. 0.

INTRA-SCHOOL MATCHES
Saints and Wildcats put on a show and a half in what could turn out to be a grand final preview. It was a matter of Joe Bilis v. Bill Anderson with a foul or two here and there making all the difference.

RESULTS

Odd Bods 31 d. Fugitives 11. Wee Five 28 d. Azteks 2.

Playboys 27 d. Globetrotters 17. Devils 21 d. Allstars 20.

Saints 35 d. Wildcats 27. Arabs 28 d. Mods 13.

LADDER

The ladder (in points then percentage order) is—Saints 47 points, Playboys 44, Wildcats 42, Arabs 35, Wee Five 31, Azteks 30, Odd Bods 29, Globetrotters 28, Allstars 28, Devils 26, Mods 24, Fugitives 20.

ALTONA EAST SCHOOL SPORT

FOOTBALL

FIRSTS

Altona East, with more determination and constructive football, and a chance of playing in the final series, were comfortable winners over Newport, 9.8.62 to 2.2.14. Altona East attacked for most of the game and combined together well as a team.

SCORES

Alt. East. 2.4 5.6 7.7 9.8—62

Npt. 0.0 1.0 1.2 2.2—14

GOALS (Altona East): D. Doherty 4, M. Cassar 2, K. Brophy 1, R. Harfield 1 and J. Herman 1.

BEST (Altona East): Martin Cassar (ruck), best on the ground, with strong hit-outs and forceful, creative play; Geoff Carroll (rover), played a courageous and intelligent game; with James Ryan and David Doherty, others to do well.

SECONDS

Altona East won a good game, 3.2.20, to 0.1.1.

GOALS (Altona East): W. Tribe 2 and R. Cohen 1.

BEST (Altona East): Paul Sussich and John Bonnier.

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